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NEWS OF COUNTY TOWNS.

AIRLIE.

A fine rain here this week, and farmers feeling good.

E. W. and A. C. Staats are painting their houses.

Mrs. O. L. Buchanan is visiting her parents at Corvallis.

H. Tarter is hauling railroad ties from the Condron mill on Pedee.

Our road supervisor has had several teams hauling gravel for a number of days.

Arthur Winterstein was in the city a few days ago and took out a new windmill.

Young hop yards are doing nicely, but the older ones have a great many missing hills.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Bevins, of Wendling, are visiting the former's parents at this place.

James Atwater and Paul Ronco have kept the local market pretty well supplied with strawberries.

Clyde Turner, our rural mail carrier, attended the carriers' convention in Portland last week.

Harry Williams, who has been down with the typhoid fever for a couple of weeks, is getting a little better.

Misses Hattie and Linne Rundlett, of Salem, spent a week with their sister, Mrs. C. V. Johnson, at this place.

Frank Lindeman took in the stock show at Corvallis last week and spent a few days with his brother, George, near there.

Miss Hudson closed a successful term of school here last Friday. She has been engaged for another term of nine months, beginning this Fall.

John Brown has bought a fine driving horse of Art Winterstein, and W. L. Phillips lost a valuable horse while on a fishing trip last week. It slipped and broke its hind leg and had to be shot.

John Koffer, who has been making staves in the McTimmonds valley for a couple of years, was in town after a load of oaks a few days ago. He has just moved onto the old Hollingshead place, where he will continue in the business another year.

BUELL.

Mr. Smith is having his hop house and barn painted.

The Woodmen held their decoration service at Harmony, Sunday.

Nearly everyone from here attended the school picnic at Sheridan, Saturday.

The illustrated lecture, "The Passion Play," given Saturday evening was enjoyed by all who attended.

Charlie and Claud Meador are home from Dallas and expect to begin work for the Oviatt boys this week.

J. M. Davis, who is visiting in Iowa instead of Mexico, as reported, will return home about the middle of July.

BUENA VISTA.

The farmers are well pleased with the rain.

Cleve Prather was a Salem visitor last week.

Mr. Pillar, of Dallas, visited friends here last week.

Born, June 3, to Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McClain, a daughter.

Mrs. M. N. Prather has been very ill during the past week.

Edward Prather recently sold a tract of land near here.

J. M. Prather has been improving his farm with new fences.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Prather were Albany visitors last week.

The Children's Day exercises Sunday evening were a grand success.

Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Addie Harmon were Albany visitors Thursday.

Misses Ethel and Minnie Knighten visited their sister in Albany, Saturday.

Mr. McReynolds will build a new hop house. The lumber is now being hauled.

Walter Davidson and family, of Oregon City, are visiting friends and relatives here.

M. N. Prather, two sons, and Harve Nash visited the logging camps on the head of the Luckiamute and near Falls City.

Harve Nash and Ed Prather cut 60 piling last week for the government work at Independence. They towed the piling with Mr. Nash's launch.

The Dornbecker logging camp near the mouth of the Santiam started a drive of about 1500 logs to New Era, Monday, the mills there being out of logs.

On its trip to Corvallis, Saturday night, the steamer Pomona was disabled by getting stuck on the Santiam bar. By the breaking of a capstan, one man was badly injured and another one knocked overboard, but not hurt much.

BUTLER.

Mrs. N. L. Butler is visiting her son Glenn.

Carl Osborne was a Willamina visitor last week.

Irv Hussey and wife were Sheridan visitors, Monday.

Ed and Lou Hodge went to Sheridan and Gopher, Saturday.

Mrs. Hartman and daughter, Iva, were in Sheridan, Tuesday.

Dick Daniel was up here on a business trip Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rowell attended the picnic at Sheridan, Saturday.

Irv Paul, of Salmon River, was out to the telephone meeting at the Agency last Saturday.

EOLA.

Earl Brunk has the measles.

Miss Loretta Foster has been visiting her sister, Miss Bessie.

Hop training will soon be a thing of the past for 1907.

Thirteen of Captain Branson's converts have been immersed, and joined the Christian church at Salem.

Mrs. Biden has returned to her home at Medford, after spending a month with her aunt, Mrs. H. B. Brophy.

Your correspondent has been so busy lately she could not look up, but when the rush is over, she will make up for lost time.

Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Ferguson attended the graduating exercises of the Normal class of the Willamette University at Salem, Tuesday evening.

Dr. Rowland, Presiding elder of the Methodist church, will preach here next Sunday evening. The Rev. Black of the Christian church, will preach in the morning.

The hay around Eola will be quite short—some so short it will never be cut. Gardens are looking fine. The berry crop is holding out pretty well, but on account of the dry weather the berries are small. Hops are looking fine.

FALLS CITY.

Thomas Edgar is seriously ill.

Zimri Hinshaw is on the sick list.

Born, June 3, to Mr. and Mrs. C. Vashaw, a son.

Fred Oberer has moved into A. N. Robinson's house on the hill.

Mr. Griffin, late of Michigan, has moved into C. Watts' house on the hill.

Falls City is in need of several new houses to supply the wants of the new comers.

The new machinery is being placed in Planer No. 2, of the Falls City Lumber Company.

Robinson Bros. had a fine refrigerator put in their meat market. Their market is first-class.

William Harmon had his house moved back from the street and is building a neat addition to it.

The Hotel Walker is now lighted by gasoline. Falls City has as fine a hotel as there is in Polk county.

INDEPENDENCE.

Everyone is glad to see the rain at this time.

Ell Ferguson was a Salem visitor, Tuesday.

Dr. Eaton was up from Portland, Sunday.

J. M. Stark was a Dallas visitor, Tuesday.

G. W. Sharman has returned from the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brooks have returned from a trip to California.

Mrs. J. W. Crider, of San Jose, Cal., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Morrison.

The steam launch, Independence, now includes Sundays in its regular trips to Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Kirkland entertained the Crab Club at their home, Friday evening.

Mrs. G. W. Conkey spent several days in Dallas during the week, visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Douglas, wife of the Rev. Douglas, pastor of the Baptist church, died at her home here, Monday night, after a lingering illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burch, of Pomeroy, Wash., visited here the first of the week. Mr. Burch is well known here, having lived here for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rector and daughter, of South Dakota, arrived here Friday evening for a visit with relatives. Mrs. Rector is a daughter of Mrs. P. H. Drexler.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will hold their annual Rose Fair, Saturday evening. Several cash prizes will be awarded and a good program rendered during the evening.

Independence is to be made a freight center for the West Side division. Owing to the 10-hour labor law, the

trip cannot be made in that time from Portland to Corvallis. The run will be made from Portland to this point, and from here to Corvallis. This will necessitate one crew staying here over night. A big turn table is to be put in.

The Leisure Reading Club held its annual meeting, Monday afternoon, at the home of the president, Mrs. D. A. Hodge. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. D. B. Taylor; vice president, Mrs. S. B. Walker; secretary, Mrs. G. W. Conkey; committee to select books for the coming year, Mrs. P. H. Drexler, Mrs. W. R. Allin, Mrs. E. C. Eldredge, Mrs. L. Damon and Mrs. W. H. Walker.

MONMOUTH.

Elder LaDow, of Union, Oregon, is in town.

William Collins, of Suver, was in town, Tuesday.

Miss Ellen Johnson, who has been sick so long, is sinking slowly.

F. Y. Mulkey left for Newport, Monday, to work in the Abbey House.

The bridge gang of the S. P. railroad has been in town for several days.

Wiley Norton and son, Warren, of Lewisville, were in town on business Tuesday.

Work on the evaporator has begun in good shape. The lumber arrived last week.

Joseph Radek has furnished his ice cream parlor with fine patent stands and chairs.

Cal Cramer, of Falls City, was shaking hands with old-time friends in town the latter part of last week.

W. D. Pierson moved to East Portland this week, where he has bought property and will live in the future.

Report comes from Mrs. Cornelia Taylor that she is much worse since she went home and not able to leave her bed.

Mrs. Lena Davis, of Grants Pass, was in town last week, having attended the funeral of her sister, Ella Sherman, in Independence.

Oscar Russell, of Wasco, formerly of Monmouth, is spending the vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Russell. He has been teaching there for some time.

Milton Force is at home again after teaching school in the Rock Creek country, Eastern Oregon. He is running the confectionery store here, assisted by Glenn Perival.

Wonder where those fellows are who said we were going to have a drought? This is a fine rain, and will make thousands of dollars for the people in the valley. Oregon never goes back on itself.

PEDEE HILLS.

Rex Womer is hauling lumber for a new house on his place.

It is reported that bears have eaten all of Jesse Yost's young goats.

Tommy Vale, whose leg was broken last winter, is getting along nicely.

Edwards & Oleman have moved their logging engine to Mr. Womer's place.

The I. X. L. ranch has some fine Jersey cows for sale. Every one is guaranteed.

The ice cream social and dance at Edward's store Saturday night drew a large crowd. All had a good time.

The I. X. L. dairy ranch sold \$72 worth of cream to the Corvallis creamery last month. So much for the little Jersey cows; they can't be beaten, and the I. X. L. ranch has them.

B. Pickens has bogs eight months old that weigh 300 pounds. They have had no grain feed—only skimmed milk. We once heard a man say that his pigs got poor on skimmed milk. Different here.

B. Pickens is selling his oat hay to Oleman's and Hanna's camps to make room in his barn for a new crop of clover and vetch. He will have 100 tons of fine hay this year. Oat hay is not good for dairying purposes.

PERRYDALE.

Rice Cook, of Portland, was up on a visit last week.

Elmer Enes made a business visit to McMinnville, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Elliott visited relatives in Corvallis over Sunday.

Miss LaVerne Burns, of Bridgeport, is a guest at the home of Katie Jennings.

The resignation of the Rev. Beery, of Monmouth, as pastor of the Christian church, was accepted. His fare-

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CASH STORE

well sermon, Sunday evening, closed a successful pastorate.

Mrs. Carmichael, of Portland, is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Sargent.

Miss Estella Taylor has returned to her home in Eastern Oregon, after a brief visit with her cousin, Mrs. Clamfield.

POLK.

The recent rains were invaluable to the late grain and gardens.

E. C. Kirkpatrick and R. E. Williams were in this neighborhood the first of this week.

Notices are up announcing the annual school meeting for Monday, June 17.

Dietrich and Pete Rempel are helping build a large barn for Mr. Hill, near McCoy.

While passing along the road, boys threw some big rocks into Mrs. Enns' orchard and damaged several trees.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Reddekopp will leave here for Sunnyslope, Alberta, about June 15, on an extended visit to their son and other relatives there.

The rails and other iron for the switch were left here last week. When the railroad switch is completed, it will be a great accommodation to the farmers and fruit growers in this vicinity.

RICKREALL.

Miss Pauline Nesmith is in Portland.

Cass Gibson has had his house repainted.

A number from here attended the Oak Grove picnic.

Blaine Southwick is convalescent after a serious illness.

Mrs. Virginia Dempsey was quite ill the first of the week.

Mrs. Peter Cook, of Ballston, was here Saturday, assisting in the store. Everyone who attended the Artisan picnic here reports having had a good

time, but the attendance was not so large as usual.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gibson expect to move to Bellingham, Wash., in the near future.

Mrs. L. C. Koser and daughter, Mattie, spent Sunday with relatives at Perrydale.

F. A. Koser had a four-horse team runaway a few days ago. One horse was badly out on barbed wire.

There will be a basket meeting in the grove here Sunday. Everybody come and make the services a success.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burch, of Eastern Washington, were here last week visiting at the home of Judge S. T. Burch.

Mrs. Jennie Dempsey, of Falls City, was here one day last week and informed us that they would move to Portland in a few days.

W. S. Mumaw and children, of Riverside, Cal., are here with his sister, Mrs. A. F. Stoner. He expects to locate in Dallas in a short time.

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Cooper Family Reunion.

The seven Cooper brothers had a family reunion at Stayton the past week in honor of the 74th birthday of W. H. Cooper, the oldest of the historical family. The other brothers, in the order of their age, nearly all being present, are: D. J. Cooper, of The Dalles; Hon. J. S. Cooper, of Independence; Col. J. C. Cooper, of McMinnville; R. D. Cooper, of Independence; J. E. Cooper, of Portland; E. W. Cooper, of Albany. They had a great time exchanging stories of the past, including such peaceable pastimes as fighting Indians, killing mountain lions and rounding up wild horses and Spanish cattle. It was conceded by all, however, that the Stayton brother was the best trout-fisher of the lot. There are many friends of the Cooper boys who will join with us in wishing them many, many more family reunions. They are all good men and true, and have left their impress upon this state and its financial and political institutions.—Salem Journal.

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Friday, June 21

10 o'clock A. M.

The undersigned having sold the biggest part of his farm will offer for sale at Public Auction at his farm near Lewisville the following property:

250 head of sheep
375 head of goats, all nannies
9 head dry cows and calves
8 head of 1 year old colts, half blood Morgan by Lambert Boy
1 matched pair 2 year old horse colts by Lambert Boy
2 two year old fillies by Lambert Boy
5 head mares with colts at side by Lambert Boy
1 saddle pony
5 work mares without colts
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